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Applicant : S. Rastogi et al.  
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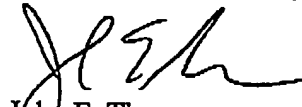
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

This communication is filed in response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 15, 2006. Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-24, with traverse. The Requirement is traversed in that a search of the Group I claimed subject matter would include a search of the claimed subject matter of Group II, and therefore, search and consideration of all claims would not be burdensome.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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